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from a crinkly plastic film molded to a tubular shaped coiled wire scaffolding, the coiled wire scaffolding having a plurality of loops, the middle portion of the elongated tube having an interior surface and exterior surface, and a layer of fabric attached to both the interior surface of the middle portion and exterior surface of the middle portion, wherein movement of a cat or other pet within the elongated tube causes the emission of noise from the crinkly plastic film.

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8. (Amended) The cat toy of claim 1 wherein the crinkly plastic film is polyethylene.

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9. (Amended) The cat toy of claim 1 wherein the catnip is suspended from an interior surface of the middle portion.

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Please add new claims 16-19 as follows:

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16. (New) The cat toy of claim 1 wherein a portion of the fabric layer attached to the interior of the middle portion of the flexible elongated tube extends beyond the first end and second end of the flexible elongated tube to form a fabric mat entrance.

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17. (New) The cat toy of claim 1 wherein a portion of the fabric layer attached to the exterior of the middle portion of the flexible elongated tube extends beyond the first end and second end of the flexible elongated tube to form a fabric flap entrance into the flexible elongated tube.

18. (New) The cat toy of claim 1 wherein the first end and second end of the flexible elongated tube each define an edge, and wherein a first protective edge covering encases the first end edge and a second protective edge covering encases the second end edge, the first and second protective edge covering protecting the first end and second end, respectively, of the flexible elongated tube from fraying and/or tearing.